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Dear Andy,

Thanks very much for your email, and for sending the Word version of the subpoena and agreeing to the December 16 response date.

I hope you have a happy Thanksgiving.

Best, Chris

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Dear Chris,

Thank you very much for your email, and apologies for not receiving your voice message yesterday (we seem to have a systems issue). Attached please find a word version of the subpoena, including schedule A. Further, responses by December 16 is acceptable to us. Thank you for your assistance on this matter.

Sincerely, Andy

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Dear Andrew,

I'm writing to follow up on the voicemail I left you yesterday. I've been retained by Agricultural Bank of China's New York Branch to assist it in responding to the attached subpoena. To that end, could you please send me a Word version of Schedule A to the subpoena? Having a Word version (from which my client can cut and paste the relevant Chinese characters) will facilitate my client's search to determine whether it possesses responsive information. In addition, given the impending holiday and my client's need for sufficient time to conduct its search, could I have until December 16 to provide you with a response?

Thanks, and I hope you have a nice Thanksgiving, Chris

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